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In re application of

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For:

NEW VITAMIN D DERIVATIVES WITH CARBO- OR HETEROCYCLIC SUBSTITUENTS AT C-25, A PROCESS FOR THEIR PRODUCTION, INTERMEDIATE PRODUCTS AND THEIR USE FOR PRODUCING

MEDICAMENTS

RESPONSE TO FILE CORRECTED PAPERS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers dated December 16, 2003, please replace the Abstract previously filed with the attached new Abstract.

Amendments to the Abstract

A new Abstract is being submitted herewith on a separate sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.